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Gala Affair Planned Next Saturday For War Victim Aid

One of the biggest parties yet given in Marin County will be held Saturday evening, November 20, at the Marin City Community Center.

The party, given by the Marin City Council for the benefit of the Marin War Chest, will start off with exhibition dancing by celebrated troupes of Russian and Norwegian dancers in native costume. The Russians will be accompanied by their own balalaika orchestra.

High spot of the evening's entertainment will be the piano playing and singing of Earl Robinson, world famous composer of "Ballad for Americans," made popular by Bing Crosby and Paul Robeson. Robinson has been a guest many times at the White House because the President enjoyed his singing so much.

Also planned is a short concert of band music by the Hamilton Field Army Band.

Winding up the evening's festivities will be a gala dance to the music of one of the San Francisco Bay Area's most popular dance orchestras. Dancing will start at 9 p.m.

In the Lounge Room for the entire evening will be an exhibit of war posters from all of the United Nations. Many posters from the Soviet Union, Great Britain, Free France and other nations allied with us will be seen for the first time at the party.

Invited to attend the celebration are official representatives from the various United Nations. It is expected that several of the consuls stationed in Western states will be present.

In the Council Room there will be bingo games with war bonds as prizes.

The War Chest is a combined relief organization. Among those who will benefit from next Saturday's party are the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, USO, various orphanages in Marin County, Protestant, Catholic and Jewish charities, and the various international relief groups such as Russian War Relief, British War Relief, Greek War Relief, and many others.

Admission for the whole evening will be 75 cents.

Child Care Women Must Be Licensed

Women who care for the children of working mothers in their homes must be licensed, according to California State law, says Mrs. Marie Larson, U.S.O. director. Mrs. Larson declared this licensing is necessary even if they care for them just a few hours a day. The license is not necessary for women who go to the child's home, she added.

Women who are now providing these foster day care homes for children should contact the U.S.O. Cottage here, who will see that a Child Welfare Service worker from the Marin County Welfare Department calls.

The reason for the license, Mrs. Larson explained, is to protect the children—to prevent their being cared for in neurotic or health environments which would be detri-

Board Hit For Child Care Lack

In a voice ringing with indignation, Rex Jones of the Marinship personnel department last Monday night told the Sausalito School Board:

"I am surprised at the apparent lack of interest that this board is showing toward the whole child care problem. One of the major contributing causes of yard absenteeism is lack of enough child care. Instead of thinking in terms of doing anything which might possibly limit the program, you should be doing all you can to make it bigger."

The board had by previous action declined to OK the use of Federal funds for raising teachers' salaries and the hiring of more teachers requested by Miss Roberta Winans, head of the Marin City child care program.

"So far we have been successful in securing teachers specially trained in the child care field whose qualifications are as high as those of elementary school teachers," Miss Winans said. "But one thing is certain," she added, "they are not going to remain unless the board sees fit to improve their working conditions and raise their salaries to a point where they are comparable to other teachers."

Clifton Boyle, superintendent of schools of the Sausalito district, of which Marin City is a part, defended his recommendation to the board that present salaries are sufficient and that more teachers are not needed. He said that although he had not looked into the matter too thoroughly, he felt that on the basis of what is being paid in other war housing projects it would be wrong to assume that the working conditions and wages of Marin City are too bad. Marin City nursery school teachers get \$150 per month, 6 days a week.

Milen Dempster, project services director for Marin City, challenged Boyle's statement, pointing out that in Vallejo child care centers the salaries are higher. "Furthermore," Dempster continued, "the Federal Public Housing Authority has definite rules as to the number of children each teacher is expected to take care of. All we urge the board to do is pay comparable salaries and improve the working conditions to a point where competent teachers will be attracted to the positions. This is vital if Federal regulations are going to be observed."

The board decided to call a special meeting for today to discuss the entire child care situation in Marin City. Results of the meeting will be announced early next week.

Among those on hand at last Monday's meeting to urge the raising of standards and expanding the local child care program were representatives from the Marin County Housing Authority, Marinship, the Marin City Council and the Parent-Teacher Association.

Friends of Mrs. Joe Hutchason (who is one of the very nice clerks in the fruit department of our market) are welcoming her back from a month's vacation spent in St. Louis, Mo., with her mother. She is very happy as her son, Richard C. seaman second class who has been in training at Farragut, Idaho, has been transferred to Treasure Island.

Five New Council Members Elected; Take Seats Sunday

Marin City voters elected five new councilmen at last Wednesday's citywide election, and cast sufficient ballots for each of two candidates in one voting district to cause a tie vote.

Elected in District D were H. B. Campbell and Dan Lounsbury. Dan Allen was unopposed in District C, as was Oliver Engle in District B. Arthur D'Ettel was elected by write-in ballot in District C.

COME TO TEENERS' DANCE

A dance for the whole community is being held Saturday night (tonight) by the Teeners' Club. Purpose of the dance is to raise funds for the outfitting of the new teeners' clubroom.

There will be a well known Bay Area orchestra for the dancing, and refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to come.

New Child Service Building To Be Built

The "green light" on the proposed new child service building here was given this week by Washington, D. C., when priorities on construction and equipment were granted. The announcement came from the Marin County Housing Authority.

According to present plans, the new four room building to house the nursery school and child care center for the children of working mothers will be located in the apex of the school grounds.

The building will have its own kitchen, office, equipment, playrooms, and isolation ward. A fenced playground will also be added.

No date for the beginning of construction has been set.

Yule Party To Be City-Wide Affair

All Marin City organizations will share in sponsoring the Children's Christmas party now being planned here, it was decided by allied organizations at a committee meeting last week. Party responsibilities were assigned to all existing groups at that time.

The Christmas jars, now placed in the rental office and market, are drawing contributions from residents to finance the event. The jars will continue on display for collection between now and the holiday occasion. The bigger the collection, the better the entertainment and treats will be, says the committee.

Chester McConnell is going into the service. His wife will make her home in San Francisco for the duration.

Mrs. Carrie Percy and R. A. Shane received an equal number of votes in District A. The tie may call for a special election, the election committee said, after finding nothing in the Marin City constitution to cover the situation.

D'Ettel, the only write-in candidate who campaigned actively, received 26 votes to fill the second seat in District C.

Candidates elected and their votes were:

District A—Mrs. Carrie Percy, 15; R. A. Shane, 15. (Tie vote for one position.)

District B—Oliver Engle (unopposed).

District C—Dan Allen (unopposed); Arthur D'Ettel, 26 (write-in).

District D—H. B. Campbell, 42; Dan Lounsbury, 41.

At Long Last! Our Roads Are Being Fixed

Rollers and graders last week appeared in Marin City, starting renovation of the town's chuck-hole roads. According to Merritt Webster, assistant director of this housing authority, the roads where the drainage has been completed will be the first to be re-surfaced.

The procedure of renovation starts with a roller broom which brushes roads clean. Then an adhesive base of road oil is spread before application of asphalt filler which fills in the holes and makes a smooth surface.

The final touch will be given by an armor coat to insure smooth driving during the winter rains.

P-TA Campaigns To Collect Play Material

The P-TA is carrying on a drive to raise materials for the recreation work here. They need old scissors, children's blunt scissors, thread spools, empty boxes. Bring or send them to Mrs. Martha Roberts or Miss Ethel Johnson at the Community Center at any time, says Mrs. J. B. Wilker, president of the group, who urges all members to respond to this call.

Last Sunday's general meeting turned out to be small but interesting to members who came out. Featured was a panel discussion led by Miss Dulcie Green, school nurse. Participants were Mrs. Lee Wright, Miss Edna Rockstorff, Dr. Edith Young and Mrs. Daniel Green.

Music was provided by members of the sixth grade class, under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Isobel Jones.

Refreshments were served by members of the association.

City Council Meets Sunday; All Invited

The Marin City Council holds one of its regular meetings Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Council Room.

The newly elected councilmen will take their seats at the meeting.

All residents are invited to attend the council meeting and enter into the discussion period at the close of the meeting.

USO Work Exchange Helps Mothers

Visiting homekeepers and women who will provide day care foster homes for the children of working parents are now registered at the local U. S. O. cottage, Mrs. Marie Larson announces.

The U.S.O. cottage serves as a clearing ground to introduce women who need house work done to the women who want to do it.

Also registered are women who will take the babies of working mothers into their homes while the mother is working. Names of these women may be had by calling at the cottage, says Mrs. Larson, director.

There are now 11 visiting housekeepers and 25 foster homes listed, but there is a constant turnover in this list and new applicants who will work for war-working women are constantly needed, stated Mrs. Larson, who urges such women should register with her at the U.S.O. cottage.

CD To Give Service Men Party Thursday

Day and Graveyard CD will give their monthly party at the Sausalito Servicemens Club on Tuesday evening, November 16.

Plans are being made for approximately 200 guests, according to Mrs. Marjorie Fitch, the chairman in charge of the arrangements.

The regular December date for the local CD organization will be taken over by the Marin City Women's Club who will give the servicemen's party on December 21.

mental to the child's welfare. No licenses which have been applied for from Marin City have been denied, she stated.

'TEENERS COLUMN

TEENERS' COLUMN
By Joyce Palmer

Almost everybody knows what fun was had at the Teeners' Hallowe'en dance, but there are a lot of people who don't know who was responsible for that swell event. Her name is Betty Maycock. She and her co-workers planned the whole program, made the posters, and really dished out something different for the Teeners. The assistant planners were Anastacia Kilty, Nancy Maycock, Delores O'Neil, Elayne Axtell, Bob Gruenwald, Bill Frease, Victor Hoppe, Phil Mack, Alice James, Lynn Draper, and Dorothy Rennie.

Some energetic fellow counted over 280 noses at the beginning of the program—a number that hits a new high in dance attendance.

Something new in Teener entertainment was the Bingo game, which made a big hit with the masqueraders.

Prizes were given to the boy and girl with the most original costumes.

There will be more good times like that when the Teeners get into the swing of things in their new "399." Why don't all of you Teeners get your membership cards today?

Old Residents Back Again From St. Paul

The old home town isn't like it used to be before the war, decided Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweet who have just returned from their former home town, St. Paul. They moved back there after spending last winter's rainy season in Marin City. But, they found, housing conditions in St. Paul were terrible and wages low.

So here they are back in Marin City—on the waiting list for a house for themselves and young son. Their Marin City friends are welcoming them back gratefully as Sweet was an active addition in community affairs during their former residence here.

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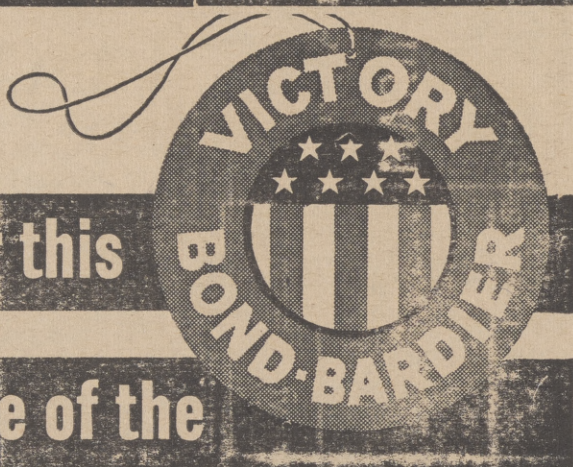
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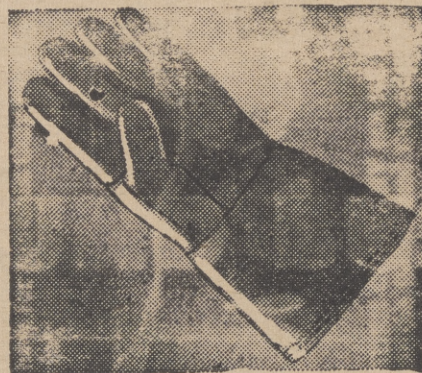
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And, in between times, she raises her two sons, 9 and 15 years, and keeps house in their San Francisco home.

Her educational training ranges over the University of California, where she had one year in the school of music; Santa Barbara State Teachers College, and the San Francisco College from which she graduated.

After her graduation she taught several years in the

Sarah Dix Hamlin private school for girls at San Francisco before coming to the first Marin City school on the hill last Easter.

Mrs. Wilson's favorite subjects are arts and crafts and music. Her arts and crafts specialty is used to good advantage every Thursday when she helps the Coast Guard boys find recreation doing leather work at their hobby shop which is sponsored in San Francisco by the AWVS.

Saturdays she devotes toward her master's degree from Stanford where she is taking a course in mental hygiene.

Mrs. Wilson was born in Redlands, Calif., "Home of the Sun-kist oranges."

Women Must Be Hired, Says Yard Official

"Half of the workers now being hired at Marinship are women," declared Rex Jones, personnel head at the yard, at last week's school board meeting.

Jones' statement was made in the controversy regarding the Marin City child care center. He maintained that if there were any talk of restricting services of the child care center here, Marinship would leap into the breach.

In stressing the necessity of such a child care program, Jones declared that the two reasons women can't work at the yard are—no one to care for their children and lack of housing near the shipyard. And, says Jones, women must be hired because men are no longer available.

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Cook your potatoes with skins on. Cool and then dice. Cut one onion up fine. Cut celery fine. Cut some bacon in small pieces and fry brown. Beat up 2 eggs with salt, pepper and vinegar to suit the taste. Stir hot bacon and fat into egg mixture until thick. Mix with potatoes, celery and onion. Chill and serve on lettuce leaves.

Mrs. W. J. Stohr.

Shoe Repair Shop Open This Week

A shoe repair shop was this week added to Marin City's commercial center, located behind the department store.

The proprietor, M. L. Miller, promises 24 hour service on shoe work. The shop, which is equipped with \$1700 worth of new equipment, is open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Thursdays, he'll be open until 9 p. m.

Otto Smith is moving his family back to their farm in Wood River, Illinois.

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Red Cross To Have Booth At Party

The Red Cross Blood Donor Service will have a booth in the Lounge of the Community House at the War Chest party November 20, according to Mrs. W. C. Billingsley, Marin City chairman of the Blood Donor Service.

"The booth will be staffed with able Blood Donor Service personnel who can inform those interested about this vital life-saving project in which Marin Cityans have played an outstanding part," Mrs. Billingsley said.

A regulation transfusion kit with blood in plasma form as used by the Army and Navy on the fighting fronts for the war wounded will be on display at the booth, Mrs. Billingsley stated.

"Bottles Or No Beer," Says Perry

"No bottles; no beer," say liquor wholesalers to Fred Perry, proprietor of Marin City's liquor store.

This week Perry passes the word along to his customers, who have 7200 empties on their kitchen shelves which will have to be returned if the store is to get its quota of beer.

"We're out just as many bottles of beer as there are unreturned bottles in the town. That's why we ran out last Sunday," says Perry.

The liquor store is open Sundays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Doctor Call Must Be In Before Ten

A home call by the doctor must be asked for before 10 o'clock in the morning, says the Medical Center here. The doctors leave on their round of home visits at 10 a. m. If a call or message is not left at the center before that time, the home visit can not be made that day, except in an emergency, says the Medical Center which is operating under the wartime shortage of doctors and nurses.

Help Wanted At Market Check Booth

Waldo's Marin city market offers a career to any enterprising and responsible citizen interested in a little small scale banking.

The "Check Cashing" booth and bond selling department in the Market is a pretty burdensome chore to combine with groceries but would make a fairly decent job for some one willing to take the responsibilities, according to Folger, store manager.

In explaining the reasons for the cashing charge of 10c Folger said insurance charges, totaling almost \$1500 a year plus the need for a full time person had made the charges necessary.

Any profits now accruing from this charge will be offered as War Bond Prizes through the store.

Planters Group Gets Cuttings From Belvedere

A windfall of flower and plant cuttings came to members of the Garden Center Planters' group at their last week's gathering. Cuttings came from a collection made by Mrs. Helen Van Pelt and Herman Hein who loaded up the back end of a station wagon with the loot from gardens of the Marin Garden Club members at Belvedere. The county women who robbed their gardens to brighten up the Marin City landscape were Mrs. Harry Allen, Mrs. Fred Boole, and Mrs. Mary Mayniham.

The Planters meet every Wednesday at the Garden Center at 1:30 to listen to Herman Hein's practical instructions on how to grow food through the winter in California in your own front yard.

The group is open to all Marin City residents, who may enroll at any time by coming to the class.

Square Dancing Great Success Last Monday

Last Monday's folk and square dancing evening turned out to be a big success, declared the crowd who did the dancing.

Two Marin City callers named the turns, and Mrs. Lois Nelson, recreation director, was on hand to help with step instruction.

From now on, the square and folk dancing will be a regular Monday evening feature at the council room of the Community Building.

Any other Marin City dance enthusiasts are asked to come join the group. Music, from a special collection of phonograph records, starts at 7:30 p.m. There is no charge.

Welcome Many New Residents During Week

Marin City extends welcome to the new residents here. Welcome to the biggest new family goes to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Quintana who have moved into House 774 with their six sons and daughters; Tony, Reynold, Aurea, Fadelea, Earnest, and LeRoy.

Other new families are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maxwell and sons Leeman and Louis in House 571; and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Young in House 507 with children Miriam, William, Richard and James.

New apartment residents are: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baltzer, A-18, 313; Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Bertram and son Charles, A-22, 618; Mr. and Mrs. William Tullios, A-47, 533; Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams and Harriett, B-10, 22; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young, B-8, 328.

SAVE TIN FOR WAR

"Don't throw away that tin can in the garbage, lady. Your country needs it."

Tin cans should be washed, and flattened and saved for Uncle Sam. Marin City's collection spot is the salvage bin south of the Medical Center.

"When you go shopping, fill your empty shopping bag full of these rescued cans and put them in the bin," appeals Mrs. Robert Cooper, chairman of the salvage drive, which is sponsored here by the Women's Club.

A truck will be at Marin City next Sunday to take away a collection of the cans saved by Marin City residents.

"How Do We Grow Gardens?"

Dignitaries from the Richmond Housing Authority and Kaiser shipyard visited Marin City last Monday seeking Victory Garden plans from the model Garden Center here.

They plan to start a similar project for Richmond Housing residents next year, said the spokesman.

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Because today's job is a three-front job for your dollars, the eight Marin County home front groups and the seventeen war front agencies have banded together into a single campaign.

This way makes it easier for you. It assures maximum effective use of the contributions you give—for one and all.

And because you will be asked to give only ONCE—we ask you to give unstintingly. Give in ONE sum the contributions you would normally make for these causes in a year. And then ask yourself if that is enough to pay for your share of the three-front victory.

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» Women's Page »

Shower For Mrs. Gordon King

A shower honoring Mrs. Gordon King was given in the home of Mrs. L. S. Perryman Jr., House 518, on October 27. The hosts were Mrs. Owen Murray, Mrs. Al Mastrani, Mrs. Bud Perryman. The color scheme was carried out in pink and white.

The evening was spent playing bunko.

Those present were: Mrs. Masher, Mrs. Bennison, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Joe Moore, Mrs. H. Folger, Mrs. John Grubb, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Earnest Stuhl, Mrs. Owen Murray, Mrs. Gordon King, Mrs. Al Mastroni and Mrs. L. S. Perryman Jr.

Callers Wanted For Weekly Square Dance

In response to the call for callers at the reborn folk dance evening here every Monday, Noah Kirby and Elmer Moore of Marin City turned out and "rendered some truly spirited calling."

The group broke up reluctantly at 9:45 last week, so Mrs. Lois Nelson of the recreation department announces that next Monday the dance will go on to a later hour.

Mrs. Van Pelt's Son Is Home

David Van Pelt, son of Mrs. Helen Van Pelt who is garden consultant here, last Wednesday got his wings and is now 2d Lieutenant in the Army Air Corps. He received his training at Luke Field, Arizona; and he reports soon at the school for instruction at Randolph Field, Texas. In the meantime he is home at San Anselmo on a furlough.

Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter Marjorie of Greeley, Colo., are visiting Mrs. De Vere Delaney, House 377, for a couple of weeks.



By JEAN BARDEN

The Neighbors' Exchange organized by a group of San Francisco women for the purpose of helping each woman to do her part in the war effort has its counterpart here in Marin City.

There is no specific organization here as yet, but through the USO Travelers' Aid office under the capable direction of Mrs. Marie Larson, the same services are granted under a different heading.

For to that cottage come women who must have part-time housekeepers so they can stay at their war jobs, and mothers who must have care for their babies while they are building ships. To Mrs. Larson also come the women who are incapable of the heavy yard jobs—they are seeking work in other women's homes.

So the USO office serves as a clearing house, bringing workers and jobs together—making it possible for war working homes to run more smoothly.

During the month of October, for instance, 23 women came to Mrs. Larson, offering to care for children, and eight women volunteered their services as visiting housekeepers. Most of these, says Mrs. Larson, were themselves mothers of families who, because of their own obligations, were unable to accept full-time employment but who could spare a few hours daily to help someone else.

During the same period Mrs. Larson had 16 requests for housekeeping service and five requests for child care needs, for children under the nursery school age limit.

The visiting housekeeper, Mrs. Larson pointed out, is more than just a maid. Besides the actual physical labor of cleaning the house and cooking the meals, the visiting housekeeper plans the menus, organizing the household to carry on while the mother is at work.

Take the case of Mrs. X whose doctor ordered her to

Angleworms Hold Supper Of Products

The Angleworms, junior garden club here, held a pot-luck supper at the Garden Center last Saturday night which was attended by all 12 members and their advisor, Mrs. Helen Van Pelt.

The place of honor on the table was given to the salad bowl—contents of which were harvested from their own gardens. One of the finest contributions was made by one of the boy officers who baked and frosted a cake for the occasion. Hot dishes contributed by the members' mothers completed the menu.

"And an hilarious time was had by all," says Mrs. Van Pelt.

Board Lunches At Nortons

An invitation to a potluck luncheon at her home on November 18 has been extended to the board of directors of the Women's Club by Mrs. Tom Norton. Mrs. Norton, a former member of the club, is now living in a new home at Mill Valley.

The Marin City Women's Club will serve the refreshments at the Sausalito Service Men's Club on the 21st of December, it was announced at last week's board meeting.

bed for two months. Her next door neighbor, herself the mother of six children, took over, giving four hours daily, preparing lunch and dinner for the family, planning the housework for Mrs. X's older children, seeing that the home life of one more Marin City family stayed intact.

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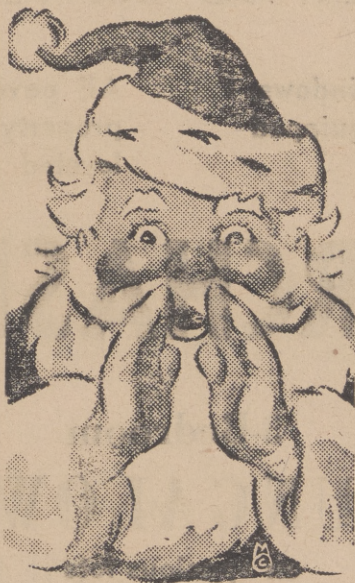
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By Peggy Billingley

Mr. and Mrs. E. King and daughter, Dianne, Marin City residents for a year, left this week to make their home in Petaluma, California

M. W. Davis and family moved to Mill Valley this week to occupy a new home they purchased recently.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Clarke of A40 are Mrs. Nona Larson (sister of Mrs. Clarke) of Los Angeles and nephew Bert Adams of Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Knot left for a three weeks visit with relatives in Oskaloosa, Iowa. Knot is going into service the first of the year; and Mrs. Knot expects to work at Marinship while her husband does his bit for Uncle Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tot and son Jimmy left Marin City this week. Tot is being inducted into the army

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Whiteside have returned to their former home, Wichita, Kansas. They are expecting a visit from the stork and Mrs. Whiteside wanted to be with her mother. They do not expect to come back to Marin City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lisk and children are leaving for Mars, Illinois After getting his family safely settled, Lisk will leave to serve with the merchant marine.

Mrs. Cyrene Miller received word that her daughter, Mary M. who is a WAVE stationed at Washington, D. C., has been promoted and is now Mary M. Miller, Y 3rd class.

Everett Fitch and son left for Prescott, Arizona on a business trip. Fitch was in the mining business (gold) before coming to Marinship to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houston were given a farewell party on Saturday night. He is going into the service and Mrs. Houston is leaving for Baton Rouge, La., where she will stay with relatives.

The Ralph Simons family are going to Tulare, California to make their home. Simon's health forced them to make the change.

Morris Turover and family wish to thank his fellow workers of Marinship for the flowers sent to St. Paul, Minnesota for the funeral of their beloved wife and mother.

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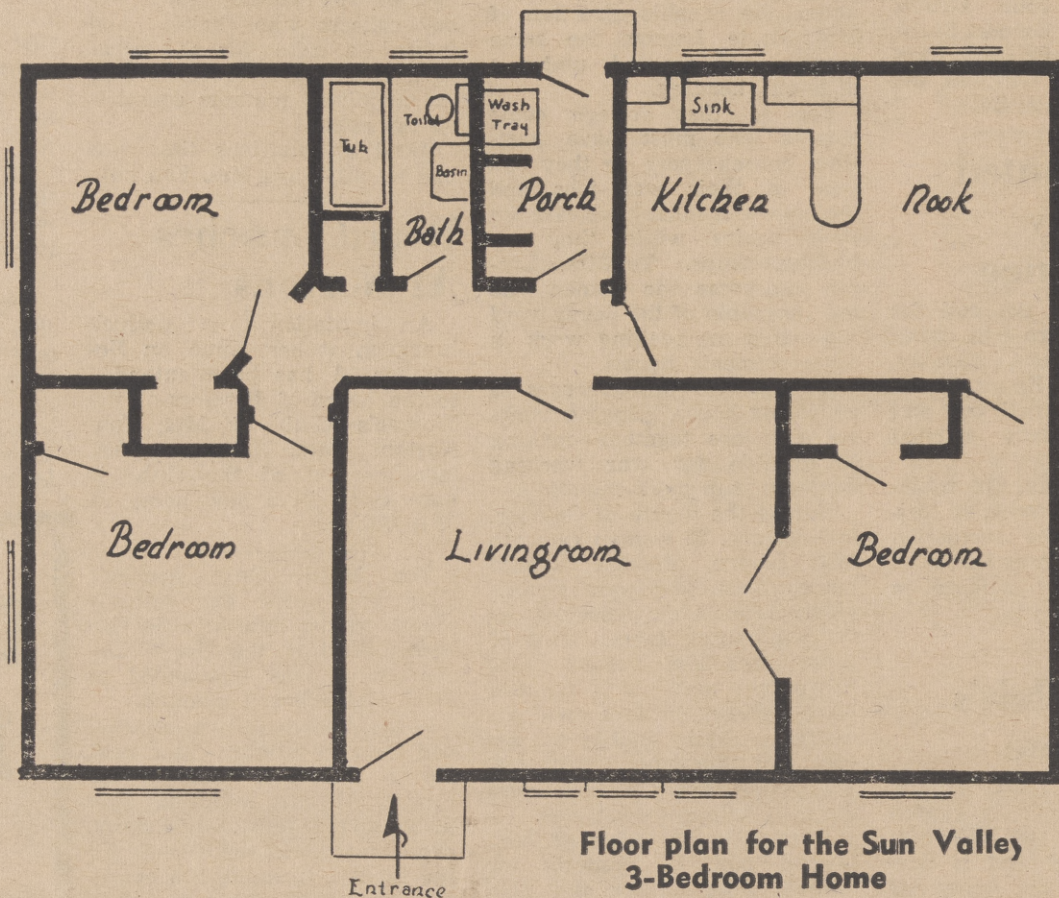
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YOUR UNION

Marin Central Labor Council
By Charles G. Austin, Pres.

Battle of Gums

Absenteeism seems to be a thing of the past as far as some of our prominent labor baiters are concerned. I wonder how the attendance record of the members of our Congress and Senate is keeping up with the times? Our "Modern Five" could not get back to class soon enough to, shall we say, EXPOSE. Their remarks would have us believe that our Secret Service, Army and Naval Intelligence and our other investigative bureaus are limited to serve only within continental U.S.A. Not to be outdone by the traveling five, we now have an additional committee of six (6) from the House Military Affairs inspecting the Panama Canal, the Caribbean area and South America. The old adage of "Join the Navy and see the world" seems to have fallen by the wayside and we have enough created interest to cause each and every citizen to aspire to office.

Comments

One of the most repeated current expressions is that of "Wait until the boys come back." Now I think that it has a great deal of merit. When the boys come back and find prices higher than the new B-29's, they are really going to be concerned and ask questions why the citizens did not protect these things through support of the OPA program, especially by appealing to their local price panels when they discover violations of price ceilings. When the boys come back and find innumerable BLUE LAWS controlling their pleasures they are going to ask a lot of questions why the citi-

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

By REGLOF

Yes, it's Turkey Time again and Waldo's Market has secured a limited number of young local hens and toms especially for Marin City. True, there may not be quite enough for all of us this year but those who place their orders in advance will be given preference. The government took millions of pounds of birds this year for the armed forces and not one turkey could be diverted into civilian channels until the entire government order had been filled.

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Wholley News

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zens did nothing to preserve those things by utilizing common sense in dealing with war-time problems. Who are the boys? They are thousands of trade unionists and farmers who have laid aside their "mics" and "squares" to learn the technique of the Garand; they are thousands of trade unionists who have shed their overalls and caps for their Uncle's khaki, blue and olive drab. Yes, I quite agree they are going to ask a lot of questions.

Hold Meeting Of New Cub Pack

The first meeting of a new Cub pack was held last Wednesday at the home of the den mother, Mrs. Irene Hartup. Pat Williams, Boy Scout, is the den chief for the Cubs, who are from 9 to 11 years of age.

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Unity For Victory

Yesterday many cities throughout the nation celebrated Armistice Day by dedicating honor rolls of their sons and daughters serving in the armed forces.

Twenty-five years ago that day one of the most brutal wars of all time came to an end. Today we are engaged in another great war—this time one which we hope will crush for all time the forces of tyranny and oppression.

The men and women listed on the nation's honor rolls have the strength of the entire American people behind them. They, individually, and together with their ten million comrades of the armed forces are the strength of a virile democracy locked in bitter combat with the decadent ideas of Fascism—Fascism which would return to the world the enslavement of men and the destruction of humanity.

The name of every gallant soldier of the Red Army of the Soviet Union is invisibly imprinted on our Honor Roll—the Red Army, whose nation has just celebrated its 26th birthday by dealing a death blow to the Nazi legions. They are marching with us.

The men of the heroic British Army and Navy are with us today—just as they are with our soldiers and sailors in battle in many places of the earth. They are marching with us.

The long suffering, brave soldiers of China are being honored by our ceremonies. They are surely on the honor roll of the world. They are marching with us.

The men and women of Free France, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Poland, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Yugoslavia, Greece and all of the other nations overrun by the terrible blight of Fascism grasp our hand in warm comradeship as we honor those who have gone from among us to fight by their side.

Our sons and daughters are truly not alone. The free people of the world are with them through the long days and nights of war.

Never again can we be alone, for when the war ends with the complete annihilation of the enemies of all mankind it will be a victory of unity. We have a feeling that our men and women on the Honor Roll will see to it that this unity will never be broken.

Marin City Bulletin Board

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13—

Catechism—Council Room, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Children's Movies—Auditorium, 1:30 p.m.
Children's Recreation, 3:30 to 6 p.m.
Community Dance, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14—

Catholic Mass—Council Room, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School—Community Building, 9:45 a.m.
Community Church—Council Room, 11 a.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15—

Furniture Making and Handcraft Class—Bldg. 400, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Badminton for Adults—Auditorium, 7 p.m.
Civilian Defense—Control Center, 7:30 p.m.
Community Bldg. open for recreation, 1-5:30 p.m.; 7-10:30 p.m.
Square Dancing—Council Room, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16—

Community Bldg. open for recreation, 1-5:30 p.m.; 7-10:30 p.m.
Boy Scout Troop 34—Control Center, 7 p.m.
Children's Christmas Club—Council Room, 3:30 to 5 p.m.
Children's Christmas Committee—Lounge, 1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17—

Home Nursing Class—A41-363, 10 a.m.-12 noon; 7:30-9:30 p.m.
Garden Class—Garden Center, 1 to 3 p.m.
Furniture Making Class—House 400, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Well-Baby Clinic—Council Room, 8:30 a.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18—

Sea Scouts—Control Center, 7:30 p.m.
Pre-Natal Class—Lounge, 10 a.m.
Mixed Chorus—Lounge, 7 p.m.
Community Building closed Thursday evening.
Women's Church Auxiliary—Council Room, 2 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19—

Blood Bank—Council Room, 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Troop 32—Cabin on Playfield, 7 to 9 p.m.
Community Building for Recreation, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Teeners' Dance—Community Building, 8 to 12.



Thus It Shall Be! The cartoon above was first printed in "Pravda," largest newspaper in the Soviet Union. It was drawn by Boris Efimov, most popular Russian cartoonist. The cartoon gives graphic portrayal to the soon-to-come results of the recent Moscow conference.

BOOKS IN REVIEW

GOING FISHING

By Negley Farson
Harcourt, Brace & Co., 1943
148 Pages

Illustrated by C. F. Tunnicliffe

"But chiefly I love rods because of their associations, the places they have brought me to," says Negley Farson in his preface to "Going Fishing." That statement is a concise and almost complete summary of his book. It is not quite complete because it fails to say that he loves rods for the sheer joy of fishing. He has fished in such far flung places as Norway, Chile, Yugoslavia, and Shetlands, and the Hebrides. Naturally he has met many odd and interesting people such as Russian authors, Scotch gillies, and French chefs.

He has fished for fun, and because his catch stood between him and starvation. He has cast in the most approved sporting manner with Scotch lairds, and trapped illegally when he had to eat. But, interesting as these acquaintances and experiences are, his book owes its zest to the innumerable tales of his struggles with the wary fish. Whether he is telling of the large sea trout that gets away, or the small and large Rainbows that he catches, Mr. Farson makes his reader feel

every quiver of anxiety, despair and triumph. "Going Fishing" is handsomely illustrated with C. F. Tunnicliffe's etchings.

Reflections on the Revolution of Our Time. By Harold J. Laski. The Viking Press, 1943.

It is Harold J. Laski's belief that when we have defeated Germany and the other axis powers our problems will be only partially solved because in destroying Hitler we shall not have destroyed the principles which created him. It is Mr. Laski's further contention that the time to eradicate those evil principles is not some date in the future when the war is won and we have more time at our disposal, but right now while we are still in the mood of unity and sacrifice with which the war inspires us. It is, of course, Mr. Laski's purpose to bring each reader of "Reflections of the Revolution of our Time" to this same point of view. In order to accomplish this the author undertakes three things: he explains the difference forces which brought about the Russian Revolution and the rise of the Fascist state; he points out in detail the very real dangers that threaten democracy; and presents a definite plan which would surmount these dangers and give us economic and polit-

A LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

The following words by Stephen Vincent Benet, whose recent tragic death took from us a true prophet of our lives, should be our guiding hand and inmost feeling in these tragic days.

"Now for my country that it still may live,
All that I have, all that I am I'll give.
It is not much beside the gift of the brave,
And yet accept it since 'tis all I have."

Who says this truthfully from the heart and conscience fulfills these words. Our fathers "made it, we make it and it's ours. We shall maintain it. It shall be sustained."

Who lives so indifferent, so callous or cynical but can say this is my own native land, I love it, I'll defend it against all enemies because it is my country—my country, either by birth or adoption with all my property if need be, and with my life.

J. C. Brower.
Box 25.

Dear Editor:

It seems funny to us that we haven't done this before, but maybe we were just too busy, or having too many good times, and really never thought much about it all, but when we were all sitting around at a meeting, thinking about the Hallowe'en Party, the Sunday Hike in the summer, all the dances, and now, the swell new building we are moving into and all the wonderful times we are going to have, we suddenly realized who and what makes it all possible. The answer is Lloyd Messersmith, (Tiny to us), and his sincere interest to help us get organized.

We have Tiny's cooperation all the time and whenever we get in a tough position, Tiny always helps us out, and we really appreciate it too.

There are so many good things he is responsible for, that we couldn't enumerate them, but we just wanted to let him know how we feel about what he has done for us.

Sincerely,
The Teeners.

Mrs. Larson Leaves For USO Institute

Mrs. Marie Larson, local U. S. O. Travelers' Aid director, leaves this Sunday to attend the U.S.O. Training Institute being held in Santa Barbara next week.

Mrs. Larson will present her Marin City plan of services to working mothers and preserving home and family life as her contribution to the panel discussion of all directors assembled there.

"I think it's terrible to have institutes during wartime," says Mrs. Larson who leaves her practical job here with obvious regret to discuss the theoretical aspects of travelers' aid.

While Mrs. Larson is gone, Mrs. Florence Fast, her assistant, will be in charge of the office.

ical freedom in a planned democracy.

Mr. Laski is not an impractical visionary; nor is his book a simple blue print for an appealing but impossible Utopia. The fundamental changes he asks us and our political leaders to undertake are difficult and profound. To accomplish these changes we must act immediately and with courage. Although the author doubts our ability or will to do either, he points out with clear logic that the alternative is a future torn by revolution or by fascism and war.

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